Abstract

The current investigation was a cross-sectional survey which was aimed to examine the relationship among co-workers' support and lifestyle during covid-19 among healthcare professionals. Furthermore, the study also aimed to explore the mediating role of job value, work-life balance and motivation to work. The sample size of this investigation comprised 210 doctors. Social Support Questionnaire (O' Driscoll), COVID-19 Questionnaire (Kumari et al., 2020), Job Value Questionnaire (Johnson, 2001), Work-Life Balance Questionnaire (Brough et al., 2014) and Work Extrinsic and Intrinsic Motivation Questionnaire (Tremblay et al., 2009) were applied in current survey to measure the variables. Pearson Correlation, Linear Regression and Mediation analysis through SPSS version-22 were applied to test the present investigation hypotheses. Findings revealed that co-workers' support was significantly positively and moderately correlated with lifestyle during covid-19, job value and motivation to work. Besides this co-worker' support was significantly positively and highly correlated with work-life balance. Linear regression analysis indicated that co-workers' support positively and significantly predicted the lifestyle during covid-19. Present study outcome also depicted that job value and work-life balance positively and significantly mediated the association between co-workers' support and lifestyle during covid-19. However, motivation to work shows no intervening role between the association of co-workers' support and lifestyle during covid-19. Furthermore, results also depicted that female employees are high on co-workers' support and work-life balance and male employees are high on job value. Findings also explored that employees of separate family system are high on coworkers' support and work-life balance. Also explored that single, widow, separated and divorced employees are high on job value and only widow employees are greater on work-life balance. The study is an important addition in the existing body of literature on the intervening positive role of both job value and work-life balance. However, current study also discussed the primary limitations along with practical implications and suggestions.

Keywords: Co-workers' support, lifestyle during covid-19, job value, work-life balance, motivation to work.